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TO: Honorable Jeff Wentworth, Chair, Senate Committee on Open Government, Select

FROM: John S O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: SB1904 by Wentworth (Relating to the definition of a governmental body for the purposes of the open meetings and public information laws.), **As Introduced**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend various sections of the Government Code to include certain private or independent institutions of higher education that contract with the Higher Education Coordinating Board under the definition of "Governmental body" as it relates to the open meetings and public information laws. Any costs associated with the bill would be absorbed within existing resources.

Local Government Impact

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 302 Office of the Attorney General, 781 Higher Education Coordinating Board

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